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FROM AMBASSADOR

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: AFSP, MORG, MILI, AR  
SUBJECT: RETENTION OF GENERAL OFFICER MILGP ARGENTINA

REF: BA 3446

1. I WOULD APPRECIATE BRIG, GEN. NORMAL J. SALISBURY BEING EXTENDED IN BUENOS AIRES UNTIL JULY 5, 1975 AS I AND THE EMBASSY NEED HIM BADLY HERE WHILE WE ARE DRAWING DOWN ON THE MILGROUP AND MAKING THE NECESSARY ADJUSTMENTS.

2. FEELINGS ARE RUNNING HIGH HERE OVER BRAZIL'S ACTIVE OPPOSITION TO ARGENTINA'S CANDIDATE (ORFILA) IN RECENT OAS SECRETARY GENERALSHIP'S VOTE, AND THE FACT THAT ARGENTINE OFFICIALS ARE AWARE BRAZIL MAINTAINING US GENERAL/FLAG OFFICER PERSONNEL.

3. IN ADDITION I NEED TIME TO COOL DOWN GEN FAUTARIO, CINC ARGENTINE AIR FORCE, AND OTHER MILITARY WHO ARE UNHAPPY OVER US DECISION TO REMOVE ONLY US GENERAL OFFICER FROM ARGENTINA.

4. TRUST THAT DEFENSE AND STATE WILL FIND INGENIOUS WAY OF KEEPING GENERAL SALISBURY IN BUENOS AIRES ON TDY UNTIL JULY DATE.

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